# Assessment Director's Meeting January 19, 2012 9:00-11:00



## Online DIBELS

- Contract finalized January 18, 2012
  - Two year contract with Wireless Generation
  - Funding for program is on-going
- 29 LEAs have applied, or are in the application process, to date
  - 53,000+ students
- Information:

http://schools.utah.gov/assessment/Benchmark-Reading-Assessment.aspx



## Online UAA

- Test will remain unchanged
- No answer sheets
- Pre-load info will be loaded into DLM delivery system
- Teachers will enter student scores into DLM online delivery system
- Access and TAMs:

http://schools.utah.gov/assessment/Special-Needs.aspx



# Consortium Update

SBAC: Co

Content specifications for Math and Language Arts being finalized

Item Specs being developed

Interim assessment decisions

**DLM:** Replaces UAA

ASSETS: ELL, WIDA



# CRT, CBT, DWA Training

#### Archives:

http://schools.utah.gov/assessment/Testing-Director-Resources.aspx

- January 24<sup>th</sup>, New Staff
  - 8:30 4:00
- January 25<sup>th</sup>, Returning Staff
  - 9:30 12:30

Both at Jordan Auxillary Auditorium (Redwood Road)



## **ESEA** Waiver

- Utah will apply at the end of February
- Grading schools model will be used for both AYP and Utah accountability (UPASS)
- Changes apply to 2011-12 school year



## AYP Workbook

#### **High School Graduation Rate**

The request amends the workbook to reflect Utah's newly approved procedure for calculating graduation rate.

#### Calculation of Full Academic Year for Online Courses

Utah is now offering online courses in high school. Online courses do not provide the normal membership data which is currently utilized to calculate Full Academic Year. Therefore without an exception these courses would not be included in calculations. The workbook change provides for an exception so the online courses will be included in the AYP calculations.

An exception to the rule will be applied to students taking online courses. A student will be considered full academic year for each online course upon the completion of the online course.

# Legislative Update

Senate Bill 10

Dayton Career and College Readiness (Explore, Plan, ACT)

Senate Bill 95

Osmond Technology \$15 million one-time / \$5 million ongoing

**HB** 15

Hughes Adaptive Testing 6.7 million



## **UTIPS** Core Update

### Full training, today following AD meeting

- Archive will be posted at: <a href="http://schools.utah.gov/assessment/UTIPS.aspx">http://schools.utah.gov/assessment/UTIPS.aspx</a>
- Other training can be scheduled as needed

#### **Status**

- Ongoing development, releases at least monthly
- Summary of key changes in each release will be distributed

